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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Applicant:

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Serial No.: 09/976,044

Filed: October 15, 2001

For: Device, Method and System for Authorizing  
Transactions

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Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**STATUS REQUEST**

Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on October 15, 2001. Since the publication thereof in April 2003, we have not received any communication or notifications from the USPTO with respect to this application.

Please advise us of its status.

Respectfully submitted,

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